

LATEST

Russians Storm Proskurov Bastion

LONDON (CP) — Proskurov, stubbornly-held German bastion in the Ukraine, has been captured by storm by Russian forces. Premier Stalin announced late today in a special order of the day.

Proskurov and Tarnopol formed the right and left anchors of the German central Ukrainian line through which Marshal Gregory Zhukov drove a 60-mile-long wedge almost to the border of Bucovina to the south. Proskurov had held out for weeks against the Russian drive.

Another communiqué tonight said Russian forces had driven to within 12 miles of the Prut River with the capture of Yedinsty, below Mogilev-Podolsk.

Rail Centre Bombed

LONDON (AP) — U.S. medium bombers attacked the rail centre of Hirson in northern France this afternoon, supported by U.S. fighters, it was announced today.

Boy Admits Slayings

ALCOLU, S.C. (AP) — Sheriff H. S. Newman announced this afternoon George Junius, 14, had admitted beating to death two small Alcolu girls whose bodies were found in a ditch.

Wake Island Hit

WASHINGTON (AP) — U.S. airmen, flying through heavy anti-aircraft fire, bombed Wake Island Thursday, hitting Japanese fuel storage tanks and barracks, it was announced by the navy this afternoon.

All planes returned safely from Wake and from raids on Ponape in the Carolines, and four airmen in the Marshalls.

Alberta Liquor Probe

EDMONTON (CP) — Three-man legislative committee appointed to investigate the liquor situation in Alberta will hold its organization meeting in Calgary April 11. Municipal Affairs Minister C. E. Gerhart, chairman of the committee, announced today.

Plane Burns

EDMONTON (CP) — A Canadian Pacific Airlines single-engine airplane was destroyed by fire today at Fort Vermilion. The craft, one of the older models, was being warmed in preparation for a flight. Grant McConachie, general manager of western lines, said he believed there was no baggage or freight on board when it caught fire.

Berlin Suffers Biggest Fires Yet

STOCKHOLM (AP) — "They were the biggest fires ever seen in Berlin," plane passengers arriving in Malmö from the German capital today said of Friday night's R.A.F.-R.C.A.F. raid.

They said that practically every section of Berlin, except the northern district, had been deluged by high explosives and incendiaries. One passenger described the latest destruction as "colossal," particularly in the central sector.

Not Guilty

KNOXVILLE, Tenn. (AP) — City Judge Charles Kelley dismissed today a murder charge against Pte. George E. Inzer, 20-year-old paratroop trainee, who admitted striking and fatally injuring Robert Ricker, 21, a construction worker who, he claimed, had said he wished Japan would win the war.

Hour Approaching'

RAMSGATE, Eng. (CP) — Europe will be invaded from the west when Hitler's war machine has been "sufficiently reduced" to enable the Allies to "close for the kill," Capt. Harold H. Balfour, parliamentary Under-Secretary of State for Air, said in an address here today. "We know the hour is approaching," he added.

Vesuvius Toll 26

NAPLES (AP) — Twenty-one persons have been killed by collapse of roofs under the weight of dust and ash from Mount Vesuvius, bringing the death toll to 26. Allied military government officials said late today. The lava flow from the volcano has virtually stopped.

Three persons were killed in the village of Terzigno on the volcano's eastern slope Friday night.

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Troops Aid Vesuvius Refugees



As a wall of rock and molten lava flowed toward them from the end of this little street in San Sebastiano, Italy, last belongings of civilians were carried from the doomed buildings. Allied troops and trucks completed the evacuation of some 12,000 inhabitants of three villages as the eruption of Mount Vesuvius continues. Twenty-six lives are known to have been lost in the eruption.

J. H. Le Page Dies In Smoke-Filled Downtown Office

James Harold Le Page, well-known Victoria optometrist, died of asphyxiation in his smoke-filled office in the Bank of Toronto Building today at 8:40, apparently having collapsed at the window which had been able to open it, would have saved him.

Fire Chief Alex Munro, who discovered Mr. Le Page, said apparently bed clothing had become ignited by an electric hotplate at the foot of his bed. Mr. Le Page, apparently awakened by the smoke and finding his bed on fire, rushed to his office across the hallway. He collapsed as he reached the window, falling face down against the ledge.

Firemen directed by Capt. Bob Brindle worked for 30 minutes with an inhalator in an effort to revive Mr. Le Page. Dr. E. L. McNiven and Dr. E. C. Hart, coroner, attended.

It is believed the hotplate was left on when Mr. Le Page retired. Firemen quickly extinguished the blaze.

Dr. Hart announced he was making investigations and would decide Monday whether an inquest was necessary.

The body was removed to S. J. Curry and Son Funeral Home.

A widower, Mr. Le Page leaves two sons, David, at Powell River, and Morley, in Victoria; two daughters, Mrs. Doris Powell, Victoria, and Mrs. M. Lineham, Port Alberni; one sister, Miss Mary Le Page, Victoria; one brother, W. M., Vancouver, and four grandchildren. He was born in Winnipeg 59 years ago and came here 40 years ago.

To Release Students To Help Farmers

B.C. students will again this year be released from their classrooms to help on the land, Hon. H. G. T. Perry, Minister of Education, announced today.

Students of Grades 8, 9, 10 and 11 will be released from school after June 1, if they have made sufficient progress during the year to entitle them to promotion to a higher grade. Students of Grade 12 will be released if they have made an average standing on the year's work of 66 per cent.

Pupils thus released before the end of the school year for work on farms may be kept at school an hour later during April and May.

"High Schools may be closed during September and October, or if the school is kept open, students who are employed in farming operations during those months may be excused from attendance, provided that on their return they make up the lost time by intensive training," Mr. Perry said. "This year, processing of farm products in canneries and dehydrating plants is included in the farming operations."

In the wake of speeches on this highly controversial issue by Lord Halifax, British Ambassador to the United States, Malcolm Macdonald, British High Commissioner and many others, Institute opinion reporters went forth to sound out the opinions of rank and file Canadians on the issue, by asking the following question:



A vast pall of smoke and flame hovered over Mount Vesuvius when this night photo was taken during the height of the Italian volcano's eruption. Beyond the silhouette of the town in the foreground can be seen streams of white-hot lava which followed the course of valleys down the mountain.



Buildings of San Sebastiano, Italy, crumbled and crushed as the lava poured down the slopes and swallowed villages, orchards and vineyards. Pictures above were flashed by radio from Algiers to New York.

Opinion Evenly Divided On Canada-Empire Policy

By Canadian Institute of Public Opinion.

TORONTO—In recent weeks the question of whether Canada should singly formulate and act upon her own foreign policy or join with the other Dominions in working out a foreign policy for the Commonwealth as a whole has been discussed by statesmen and experts from one coast of Canada to the other.

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"Which of these would you like to see Canada do after the war:
1. Decide for herself how she deal with other countries in the world; or
2. Join with the other Dominions and Britain in deciding one foreign policy for the whole Empire?"

Canadian opinion divides as follows: Decide for herself, 47 per cent; join with Dominions, 46 per cent; undecided, 7 per cent.

While national opinion is more or less split evenly on the issue, Quebec shows a marked difference from the rest of the country. The following table shows Quebec as compared with other parts of Canada.

Decide for herself _____ Quebec _____ Canada _____
Join with Dominions _____ 21 _____ 39 _____ 59
Undecided _____ 8 _____ 31 _____ 6

Bombs Blanket Berlin 100 Nazis Hit London

Russ Exploiting Tarnopol Break; Near Czernowitz

By EDDY GILMORE

MOSCOW (AP) — The Red Army was reported today to be exploiting its broad Tarnopol break-through in the southeastern corner of Poland into a full-scale smash to fling the Germans back past Czernowitz to the Carpathian border.

Pravda said the mighty thrust between Tarnopol and Proskurov was gaining headway. The Russians are already within sight of the distant peaks of the mountain range which cuts like a sickle through Rumania.

While Marshal Gregory K. Zhukov's Tarnopol drive cut the Tarnopol-Lwow railway and clattered closer to the Lwow-Czernowitz trunk line, capture of Byelski, traffic control point for northern Moldavia, appeared to be a matter of hours, front dispatches said.

Its fall would give the Russians virtual control of a 200-mile-long stretch of the eastern bank of the Dniester River. The Red Army force there would then be in a position to go smashing down on Galatz and the Danube valley or the exposed side of the mountain barrier. Kishinev, capital of Moldavia, lies 60 miles south of this developing offensive in the path of any drive in this direction.

SEE RUMANIAN HILLS

Following the advances of Marshal Ivan S. Konev's 2nd Ukrainian Army through Moldavia, his advanced units have reached some elevated points where the foothills on the Rumanian side of the Prut River are in plain sight. They were pushing along the road leading over the Carpathian foothills from captured Sekureni to Czernowitz, while six miles to the south other units advanced rapidly along the road from Oknita to Trinka.

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Proskurov and Tarnopol, dispatches added, appeared about to follow the fate of the Bug River town of Voznesensk and fall to Zhukov's troops.

NAZI LINE COLLAPSES

The Dniester River city of Kamaniets Podolski, between Proskurov and Zernowitz, likewise is in the path of the Russian steamroller, and the whole German-Rumanian position in the extreme south, appears to be rapidly collapsing, dispatches said.

Units of Gen. Rodion Y. Malinovsky's army were said to be pushing into the suburbs of Nikolaev, Black Sea port on the southeastern end of the front, while battering away at the resistance of German troops holding the southern sector of the Odessa-Lwow railway.

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THE COMING CONFERENCE

ALTHOUGH AN ANNOUNCEMENT OF the date is lacking, the fact that Australia's Prime Minister said his farewells to Parliament yesterday may be taken as an indication that the Dominions' conference in the Empire's metropolis will begin its deliberations in the not distant future. Mr. Curtin took his leave with an assurance from the opposition party that its members will pursue no course during his absence that would either embarrass his government or oblige him to cut short his trip—commendable recognition of the importance of his mission and a manifestation of good will that is not without its significance to the political leaders who sit on the left of Mr. Speaker in the House of Commons at Ottawa. It would seem highly probable, incidentally, that Mr. King's absence from Canada at the meeting of Prime Ministers will synchronize with the long Easter recess.

No assembly of the governmental chiefs of the states of the Commonwealth in recent times has assumed the far-reaching importance that will mark the forthcoming deliberations. While the war in which all the Dominions are engaged to the limit of their various capacities naturally will take top place on the agenda, the political consequences and implications of the peace—not only as affecting intra-Empire relationships and their future associations with the rest of the United Nations, but also as to the Empire attitude toward the vanquished common enemy—necessarily will demand meticulous examination by the assembled statesmen. And we may be sure that the presence of Field Marshal Prime Minister Smuts will insure a full and frank discussion of the imperial formula in respect of post-war Empire foreign policy which he enunciated before the Empire Parliamentary Association last December, and which Lord Halifax varred in his speech before the Toronto Board of Trade early this year.

While the somewhat similar views to which the South African Premier and the British ambassador to the United States gave voice were ostensibly their own, their dicta not unnaturally created the impression among many leaders of public thought in the member states of the Commonwealth, especially in Britain, that they were in the nature of trial balloons. But there was nothing in the controversy which ensured that an exchange of view around the conference table should not clarify and also reveal common ground on which conflicting opinions may be composed. Compromise in family matters has been one of the major cornerstones of the Commonwealth structure. And none understands the majority Canadian point of view, particularly as it concerns the basic elements of the Smuts-Halifax formulas, better than Mr. Churchill.

Another reason why especial importance and significance attach to the forthcoming conference is the possibility that the visit of the Dominion Prime Ministers may, and we say may advisedly, synchronize with the opening of the most momentous offensive operations in the history of the Commonwealth. While the distinguished political chiefs will be completely impotent in the strict military sense, it may well be—even though the invasion still pends when they finish their deliberations—that they will have information as to prospects that will enable them to take a peep far enough into the future to discuss political programs affecting the countries soon to be liberated. In any event, however, the forthcoming gathering should be productive of much that will strengthen the Britannic family and increase its force for good in the world.

PHYSICAL EDUCATION

WHEN VICTORIA'S EDUCATIONAL authorities have the opportunity to attend to the physical needs of their school system, they will not, present trends indicate, stop at construction of new schools. They will proceed further in the field of physical education for the young people who will use them.

Of necessity the building program must await the postwar era—when money and material become available and projects are needed to employ demobilized men in that transition period between hostilities and peacetime reorganization. Similarly the physical education expansion will probably await release from the forces of skilled men, already known to the authorities, to lead the new courses.

Increased emphasis on that department of school work will be widely applauded. The authorities have no wish to create a goose-stepping generation top-heavy on the physical side. They do, however, see a need for more intensive courses in athletics. Introduction of a greater element of competition in the field will also be welcomed. Present arrangements give children the opportunity to participate in large numbers in some form of exercise, but limit rather closely the competitive spirit. It creates initiative, fosters team play and is an obvious determinant of character values.

Stimulation of fuller interest in games carries with it more far-reaching benefits than body-building. The boy or girl ex-

pend energy in sport is less likely to have surplus energy for less commendable outlets. Unquestionably the love of sport and participation in it can be a major deterrent to juvenile delinquency. And the school is the place for its development.

INVASION HINTS

AT TWO POINTS IN THE BRITISH Isles yesterday Mr. Churchill and General Sir Bernard Montgomery dropped hints, guarded though they were, which suggest to the peoples of the United Nations that the invasion of the continent from the west will not be much longer delayed. However, despite the fact that the Prime Minister told United States paratroopers that they "soon will have the opportunity" of landing on the soil of Nazi-occupied Europe, and that the Eighth Army's old chief appealed for "inspired support" for the invasion forces under his command, there should be no disappointment if Mr. Churchill in his message to the world tomorrow does not go beyond a general reference to "an event of great magnitude" for which all the peoples of the anti-Axis coalition patiently but eagerly wait.

It will nevertheless be recalled that it was none other than the Nazi Admiral Luetzow who many months ago warned the German people that two weeks of intensive bombing, day and night, by large fleets of planes might be taken as the prelude to a large-scale invasion by land armies. And he took particular pains to explain that then, and then only, would British and American forces throw everything they had at the continent, regardless of the cost in men and material. Well and good; the aerial offensive has reached a tempo that even a few months ago was merely in the prediction stage. There are now two kinds of people in the Reich—the bombed and the unbroken. A vast homeless and possessionless mass has been created which has nothing more to lose.

If the campaign which has produced this condition continues much longer, it may be difficult for Hitler and Himmler's Gestapo to prevent serious political reactions. Even the Nazi type of ruthlessness may not be effective enough to repress emotional revolt. But it can be taken for granted that the invasion at which Mr. Churchill and General Montgomery have hinted so definitely will begin only when the Allied leaders feel certain it will succeed and "continue to be successful over a large area" in its important initial stages.

CHINA BOOK WEEK

STARTING TODAY, THIS CITY, WITH other centres over which the American Library Association waves its cultural wand, has begun a celebration of China Book Week. During the ensuing seven days the Public Library will give prominence to various outstanding works from that country. It is a fitting tribute to one of the most valiant of the United Nations, to a country which was fighting aggression in those pre-Munich days when Axis sword-rattling was little more than a topic for academic discussion among the other Allied partners.

During the week, publicity will be given to China's continued attempts to save cultural records and more recent treatises on scientific subjects from the plunder and flames of the attacking Japanese.

They are efforts of a people deeply conscious of the value of literature and of the importance of saving what can be preserved from the destruction of a force which takes little heed of such treasures.

An ancient tradition of scholarship and art has long placed China among the cultural leaders of history. In recent years her somewhat staid classicism has been revitalized with a new idea of life, a democratic, forward spirit which has found expression in such new literature as "Village in August." Her philosophies have earned their places and proved their merits in the realms of things abstract. And when the reader seeks his weekly fare among volumes available from that country, he will be offered a wide variety, from the delicate tracery of ideas and things philosophical, to the stark realism of some of the recent volumes of the New China.

From it he will draw a deeper appreciation of the courage, stoicism and resource which have enabled the nation to survive the ruthless thrusts of an enemy that has made war a popular science. If it does nothing more than broaden the concept of those things for which China stands, for which she fights—and sometimes fights with little more than bare hands—the week will have achieved a valuable purpose.

LITTLE MISS SUNSHINE

YESTERDAY'S ISSUE OF THE TIMES gave prominence to the story of the Jubilee Hospital's "Little Miss Sunshine," a three-year-old child saved from the fatal effects of drinking lye by the care given her by Victoria doctors and the institution itself. That the little girl will live and develop as naturally as her playmates, despite her terrible accident, is a tribute in itself to medicine, surgery and institutional care. It serves to emphasize the important part played by the hospital.

With "Little Miss Sunshine" as an example of the work that can be done and is being done by the hospital, frequently without material recompense, its directors may feel fully justified in their appeal to the citizens of Greater Victoria for financial assistance. At present they are campaigning for \$50,000 from private sources to assist in constructing a \$200,000 maternity pavilion. That addition is urgently needed to relieve chronically overcrowded conditions in the hospital itself. Those who appreciate the work done for Bertha, and for others like her, may show tangible evidence of their support by making donations to the pavilion building fund now.

Bruce Hutchison
HOME NEWS

THIS REPORTER is gradually sinking back into the warm, soft earth of Vancouver Island, but he feels almost a stranger here and learns of local occurrences as if they were striking news.

By G. V. FERGUSON
The blossom of the trees at this season, to anyone who has been away, is a staggering spectacle. I have not been here to see it at this season for several years and I find that it has increased in quantity at an amazing rate.

When I was a boy in this town you could see the flowering trees on your hand. Even when I was a young man they were a rarity and one would walk home by Rockland Avenue for a glimpse of a Japanese plum and the odd forsythia. Apparently in the last 20 years we have discovered that the Japanese trees grow as well here as in their homeland (one useful Japanese export) or perhaps better.

In this matter our municipal governments have shown rare wisdom, for I perceive that on most new streets and many old ones little trees are now planted which, in a few years, will send a billow of blossoms flowing throughout the city. Within a generation Victoria will be more famous for its Japanese bloom than for its broom, its natural oaks or its sea serpent. This obviously is going to present the greatest concentration of spring tree bloom of any city in the world and I would like to live long enough to see it.

And when I remember what the gardens of Victoria were like when I was young—an odd holly tree, a few poppies and a mat of dismal ivy—and when I see how every householder is now almost an expert gardener with a great collection of plants and shrubs, I am almost persuaded of the upward trend of civilization.

EGGS

ANOTHER PIECE of local news which I found striking was that someone has been throwing eggs by the thousand at passers-by on the Malahat Highway. This information is certain to stir the deepest and worst instincts in all men. For there is no same man who hasn't yearned to have enough eggs, leisure and courage to plaster the passing public in the streets. It is everyone's cherished secret ambition but few have achieved it.

It is not as low an instinct as you imagine. It is, on the contrary, a stirring after equality and democracy among men, a revolt against pretence and vanity. No one wants to throw eggs at poor or unfortunate folk. We want to throw them only at top-hats and stuffed shirts, which need the decoration of a yolk now and then to put them in their place. Indeed, most British humor from the earliest times was devoted to knocking the hats off snobs and there is much to be said for it. The humorist must achieve it with words. But eggs are much easier to handle and so much more effective if you can afford them and your throwing arm is accurate. In a world where democracy must continually assert itself, where the enemies of democracy must be smacked down, it is every man's duty to keep chickens.

DISGRACE

ANOTHER PIECE of local information I picked up from the medical profession is that we have no proper facilities in Victoria for dealing with insanity. In most of the cities of America which consider themselves civilized there are psychiatric wards where those suspected of being insane are taken for examination and for treatment if their cases are not serious. Here if any unfortunate person is regarded as mentally sick he is thrown into jail like a common criminal, as if he had committed some horrible offence. He is regarded not as a patient but as an enemy of society. In this way people of fine character and excellent record, who are afflicted with mental illness have been thrown into the jug with the drunks and dope fiends until they could be sent to an asylum. The doctors of Victoria consider it a scandal but are powerless to do anything about it. Only the public can remove this shame.

LET THEM HAVE IT

ANOTHER PIECE of news concerning us rather intimately. A student in Winnipeg has just unearthed Professor Arnold Toynbee's famous world history to reveal some pretty serious reflections on our climate. The professor, who is the greatest historian in England, argues at great length to prove that the best civilizations develop in hard times which challenge man's existence. Where there is no such challenge, where man can survive without serious striving, there no great civilization develops. That is why, you don't find great civilizations in the tropics under a banana tree.

But this theory, the professor admits, can go too far. If the climate is too desperate it finally extinguishes civilization altogether, which cannot survive against it. Hence the collapse of the Scandinavian civilization in Greenland and hence, says the professor, the low civilization of the Maritime provinces of Canada—a statement which is certain to cause a fierce resentment in Nova Scotia and New Brunswick and especially among those Maritimers who have come here, fleeing from their own country.

What of this coast? Here in Victoria we have a soft and easy climate. There is no challenge in it at all. It is as tame as a trained kitten. It does precisely what you ask of it at all times, rains enough, shines enough and makes everything grow. How can a great civilization develop in such an environment? We are evidently doomed to a low-grade culture and probably, in the course of time, will be a race of beachcombers. Vancouver will be the centre of our civilization because its climate would challenge the most hardy of us. Let it be.

From Inside Fortress Britain

This is one of a series of articles on the British Isles Fortress of Britain, written for Victoria Times and Winnipeg Free Press by G. V. Ferguson, who has just returned from an overseas tour.

By G. V. FERGUSON

It has been usual to think of British agriculture as languishing. Nobody would say that to today. Of all the colossal achievements of Britain's home front, that of the farmers has been perhaps the most outstanding. This sometimes causes Canadian farmers apprehension. What, they say, is going to happen to our markets after the war is over? I am no expert. These fears may have some foundation in fact. But they need not have, if other things go well.

But let's talk war first and not post-war.

When the blitz war of 1940 overwhelmed western Europe, Mr. Hudson, newly appointed minister of agriculture in the Churchill government, was told his job was to double home farm production. He looked over the record of the last war, saw that over-all farm production in spite of every effort had been increased by only six per cent. Then he went to work. Today British farm production is 120 per cent above the pre-war levels.

How was this achieved?

It was done mainly by great shifting of production, above all in an increase in ploughed land. Historic pasture was torn up by tractors. Say the officials, "It was tractors did the job," for they had been little used before the war. The leisurely raising of flocks and herds was greatly cut down. Cereals were grown which both reduced the tonnage needed for carrying wheat, but also cut down the vast tonnage needed to import fed grains.

PHENOMENAL RETURNS

The old pastures yielded phenomenal returns. When we said the wheat was not quality wheat like Canadian, we got the reply, "You can make bread out of it."

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

BROKEN GLASS

There is not much space for letter publishing these days, but the subject of this one bears upon the ever-present topic of good citizenship in "high" and "low" places.

If the person who drops a bottle on the street, splintering glass all over the place, were penalized for not clearing it up this menace to bicycle and car tires would be prevented. Could milk companies, for instance, not furnish their delivery trucks with dustpan and brush?

It might not be wide of the mark to assert that the despoliation of safety of thoroughfares would cease to exist if childhood education began with such teaching that would tend to prevent in later life acts being committed against the public well-being. As it is, we must be in sore need of "adult education" along a line which freshens the memory on the Golden Rule.

Falling the punishment or re-education of the offender who breaks a bottle on the street and lets it remain there, we might ask that all householders or occupants of premises in front of whose place the glass is strewn should take it as a duty to clean it up as soon as noticed. Often this is done, but for some reason it often is not, which means, in this day of rubber scarcity, the slashing and nicking of many tires, aside from the carelessness and unsightly picture presented.

GRACE MONEY BELL
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RESERVE OFFICERS

Press reports last week end speak of over 500 officers within the Pacific Command being reverted to Reserve status, which is in effect discharge from the army. These gentlemen will now have had from three to four years of military life under, what are here in B.C. little more than peacetime conditions, receiving pay greatly in excess of anything they could earn in civilian life, and few of whom have ever heard rifle fire in a war zone, and yet they will now be taking positions which should be filled by returned men. Will this be permitted?

If the Pacific Command is retiring 500, what must be the total for the whole of Canada? Most of these men have had no service other than on the home front, and yet, unless we do something about it, our sons, husbands and brothers in the ranks overseas will come back to find themselves in competition with what army regulations describe as "temporary gentlemen," holding temporary commissions, but who no doubt will cling to their rank, and our otherwise normal Canadian life will be flooded with captains and majors, with a superior caste psychology. Surely we must do something to ensure that these temporary ranks are canceled and all soldiers re-entering civil life meet on common ground.

(Mrs.) MARY WHINCUP,
Royal Oak, March 21.

THE QUOTA SYSTEM
From The Times, London

Tariffs are a negative, indirect, and, from the standpoint of social requirements, unreliable way of regulating imports. When the British government in 1932 decided to limit imports of food-stuffs, it adopted the alternative method of the fixed quota, which made it easy to control imports without raising prices to the consumer. The application of the quota system at that time exclusively to commodities of which Britain was an importer placed her in a weak bargaining position and reacted unfavorably on her terms of trade. The fact that the only international quota agreement hitherto concluded is the Wheat Agreement of July, 1942, suggests that this danger is not yet past.

But the quota system applied to commodities the consumption of which is relatively stable has the advantage of informing producers in advance, both at home and abroad, of the approximate quantities for which everyone is—and this includes the agrarian interests of Britain—that home and foreign agricultural production can be made not competitive but complementary.

PROTECTIVE FOODS

Britain is only now finding out about protective foods, about the great value of lots of fresh milk and fruit. To these ends much British agriculture will turn when the war is done, and a vast and new and lucrative market opens for the British farmer which he never had before. This means that the nation will still want to buy, in large quantities, the kind of produce we in Canada produce best.

But here again you get a steady look from the officials. Are you ready, we were repeatedly asked, to buy our products in quantities sufficient to allow us to buy yours?

Here is the old problem in the old nutshell. The future depends upon the growth—the vast growth—of international trade. If that is achieved we here will not have to worry about outlets for western goods. If it is not, watch out for squalls.

NOTICE

1. ANAESTHETICS: It is a delusion to suppose that animals are always anaesthetized during experiments.

2. VIVISECTION: "In this relation there exists a cruelty to animals far transcending in its refinement and in its horror anything that has been known in the history of Nature. There will come a time when the world will look back to modern vivisection in the name of Science, as they do now to burning at the stake in the name of Religion."

(Dr. H. Bigelow, Harvard, Professor of Surgery)

3. ETHICS: We ought not to do evil in the hope that good may come to ourselves. No good has been derived from vivisection that could not equally well have been derived without it. There are the high priests of science who fondly hope to benefit humanity by doing violence to the virtue that it has taken centuries of Christianity to create. With them . . . the greed of knowledge has obliterated mercy and pity. While you have men who will devote their lives to tortures in laboratories, you will have men who will devote their lives to the hatred and destruction of their fellow man."

(From the Father Mathew Record, R.C. Magazine, Ireland, 1943)

4. VIEWS: "Every day we read of crimes for which vivisection is responsible."

(Millicent Morden, M.D.)

"I find it absolutely inconceivable that He should have so arranged the avenues of knowledge that we can attain to truths which it is His will that we should master, only through the unutterable agonies of beings which trust in us."

(Late Dr. Westcott, Bishop of Durham)

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Air Cadets Seek \$250,000

Generous public support of the campaign to raise a fund of \$250,000 for the Air Cadet League of Canada is anticipated by President Arthur L. Melling of Montreal. Monday is the opening date for the coast-to-coast drive. Since the first squadron was organized in 1941 the air cadet movement has grown to large proportions, with still further development in prospect.

"At our annual meeting last month, Air Minister Power urged the league to carry on its work and not diminish our activities in the slightest," said Mr. Melling in referring to the new program of national objectives announced at the meeting. "These are in line with the wishes of the Air Minister and our belief in the value of air training for the youth of Canada, combining the four factors of war effort, expansion, education and morale."

Funds contributed in the campaign, said Mr. Melling, will be used to further the national, provincial and local development program, to continue with squadron organization and maintenance work, and to further promote public interest in aviation and air training for youth. Canadian boys have a natural instinct for flying and Canada now has an opportunity to establish her position as a dominating factor in the new air age of the future.

Provincial chairmen and other officials of the Air Cadet League throughout Canada are supervising organization of local committees in their territory to promote public interest and obtain contributions for the fund.

VICTORIA AIDING

Greater Victoria, with six organized Air Cadet Squadrons, will aid the appeal, Maj. R. H. B. Ker, who is on the executive of the Air Cadet League of Canada, said today. It is hoped to raise \$50,000 of the sum by voluntary subscription in British Columbia.

Maj. Ker said there are now 25,000 air cadets in 370 cadet squadrons throughout Canada. Those at Victoria, Oak Bay, Saanich and Esquimalt High Schools, as well as in Pat Bay (independent) Squadron, are doing well. The Air Cadet League of Canada defrays the cost of uniforms and much other incidental expense, while training has been made a definite part of the program in the senior schools.

The sum of \$1,000 will insure

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that of 100 boys; \$100, 20 boys,

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Government Street.

20 months desired to buy it, he would be allowed to do so. Belief that Wartime Houses would not be torn down five years after their erection, was voiced by Mr. Shanks in answer to another question.

Discussion of leases arose, and Maj. Holmes said that a considerable number of tenants had been given notice to vacate by May 1 in the city of Montreal. Hubert Lethaby, secretary, outlined efforts which were made by the Victoria board to join the Canadian Association of Real Estate Boards, and stated that the cost was prohibitive.

"While we are talking of prefabricated houses, I would like to speak of prefabricated houses," Maj. Cutnbert Holmes told the meeting. "There are many fine old homes in Victoria with capital timber in them. These homes could be refashioned, for that type of work has become a big business in the United States.

"Excellent jobs can and have been done on homes in this city," he said, as he gave locations of several homes which have been refashioned, and mentioned others that could be. One refashioned home here was bought by an American woman. In the States old cottages, even stables, have been refashioned into homes, and one of the most beautiful homes in England was made from a barn."

Lt. Col. Brooke Stephenson opened the discussion on prefabricated buildings, and stated that while he was in no way sponsoring them, he felt they should be given consideration. He advocated the erection of one as a sample, and P. A. Fitzsimmons moved that the firm which has constructed prefabricated buildings in other parts of Canada, be approached to build one here. He suggested also that the City of Victoria be asked to donate the lot, and that the house could later be raffled off in aid of the Solarium.

"You can't beat progress," commented R. H. Shanks, chairman of the board, when it was mentioned that there might be certain groups which would oppose the erection of such buildings. Col. Stephenson said that any municipality which would agree to Wartime Houses within its boundaries, should have no complaint regarding prefabricated buildings.

When the question of the disposal of Wartime Houses arose, Mr. Shanks told the meeting he felt that if a tenant who had rented such a house for perhaps

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Club Luncheons

Dr. W. A. F. Hepburn, British government education adviser, will address the Rotary Club Thursday on "Why All This Talk About Education."

Hon. G. Howard Ferguson, former Ontario premier and former Canadian high commissioner in London, will discuss "The Future of the West" at the Canadian Club luncheon Monday.

Gyro Club Monday will hear J. Hartley Fowler, world service secretary of the Y.M.C.A.

Members of the Kiwanis Club who were born in Prince Edward Island, will have charge of a program entitled "Prince Edward Island Round-up" at the club luncheon Tuesday. They are Lal LeLacheur, Bill Macdonald, Ralph Matthews and Dr. S. J. Willis.

John F. Bledsoe, who has collected stones from many parts of the world, will address the Lions Club Thursday on "Polishing Pretty Pebbles."

"International Politics" is the topic of an address which Maj. John P. Simon will give to the Kinsmen Club Thursday night.

Victoria Business and Professional Women's Club will hold a business meeting at 8 Monday, in clubrooms.

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POWELL RIVER, B.C. (CP)—Pacific Mills Ltd. have been awarded a contract for the erection of a new bleaching plant building at Ocean Falls. The building will cost approximately \$40,000.

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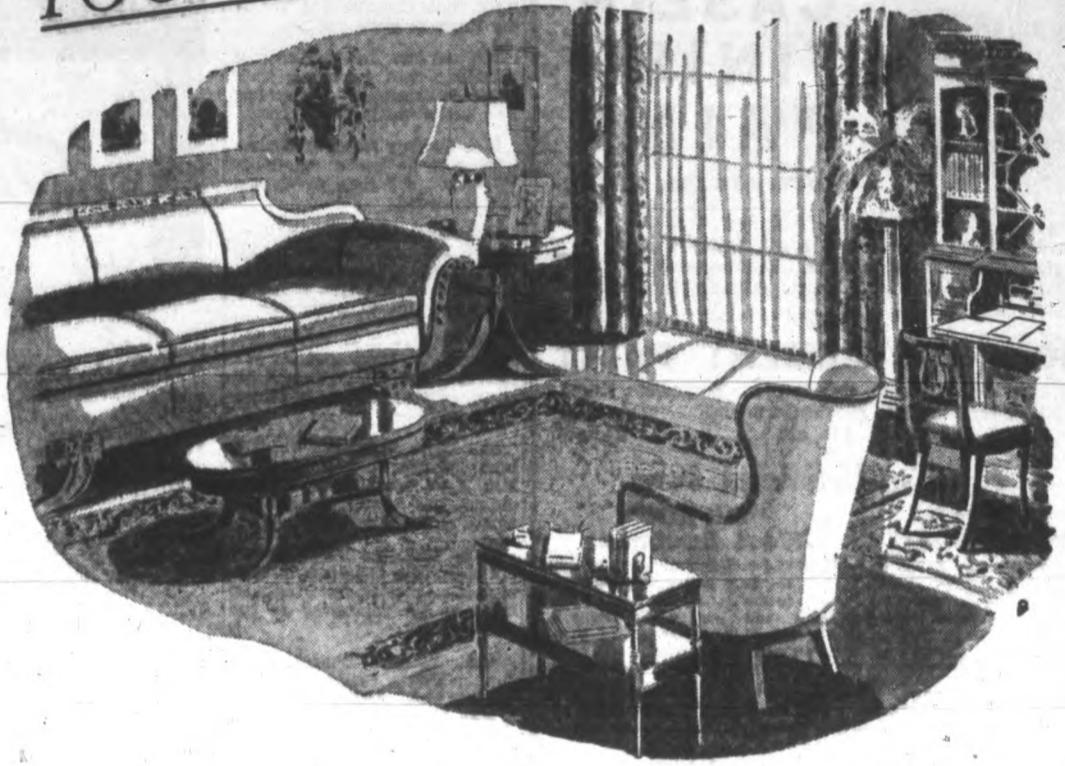
LONDON (CP)—Gen. George C. Marshall, chief of staff of the United States Army, has been awarded the Order of Suvorov, first class, the Moscow radio announced Friday night.

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Drivers Sign New Agreement

Hugh A. Allison, president of the Vancouver Island Drivers' Association, and B. C. Ciceri, quartermaster, B. C. Drivers' Association, signed a new agreement yesterday.

The agreement calls for union recognition, provides procedure for adjusting differences and embodies a check-off clause.

As the wages currently being paid by the company are the highest in the industry no general wage increase was asked, but an additional one week's annual vacation with pay has been granted.

what lengthy, at no time was

there any evidence of animosity shown by either party, and the continuance of amicable relationships is assured.

RAINBOW SEA CADETS

The entire ship's company will parade at headquarters Tuesday at 1920, duty hands at 1900.

Duty CPO, S. Brain; duty PO, B. Ciceri; quartermaster, B.

Baker; sentries, J. Nicolson, S.

McCleary, T. Stevens, W. Bayliss, T.

Steven, L. Sheldrake, A. Boyd,

R. Harris; messenger, G. Field;

bugler, R. Bentley; signalman, R.

Bean; duty LS, E. Taylor; duty hands, B. Taft, E. Taylor; duty hands, D. G. Brown, K. Nuttall, G. James.

Roberts, D. Higgs, S. MacDonald, D. Cook.

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Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Henvelman and their son of Chicago, are visitors in Victoria.

Mrs. Charles De Macedo of Victoria is a guest at Sylvia Court Hotel, Vancouver.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Bruce Jackson of Simcoe, Ontario, are spending several weeks guests at the Empress Hotel.

Mrs. W. C. Chisholm and Mrs. F. M. Piper have come to Victoria from Oakville and are at the Empress Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Harris of Winnipeg, will return to their home on Sunday after spending two weeks visiting in Victoria.

Mrs. Godfrey Isaacs of Oyama, who spent the winter months in Vancouver, will come to Victoria this week-end.

Edmonton visitors registered at the Empress Hotel are Mrs. G. F. Watcher, Mrs. A. E. Moore, Mrs. A. Archibald, Mrs. E. Barnehouse and Mrs. W. A. Scanlon.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. W. Byers and Dr. and Mrs. Leeson and Miss Leeson, all of Vancouver, are guests at the Empress Hotel.

Mrs. M. A. Ferguson, who has been living with her daughter, Mrs. J. A. MacLennan, in Vancouver, has arrived to spend a month at the Empress Hotel.

Sqdn. Ldr. and Mrs. Howard Correll, who have been in Victoria since coming from the east, are now in Vancouver at the Ritz Hotel.

Mrs. Clifford Donnelly, the former Sylvia Gould, was honored Friday evening when the James Bay Guide Company of which she is captain presented her with a pair of crystal candleholders and a set of teaplates and server. Guide Catherine Court made the presentation, which was accompanied with a corsage bouquet of pink carnations and heather.

Two hundred guests attended a dance given in the Goblin Ballroom by the Oak Bay Civil Defence. Among those present were Reeve W. L. Woodhouse, chairman of Oak Bay Civil Defence; A. S. G. Musgrave, controller, and O. A. Buttars, O.B.E., chief warden. Mr. Musgrave welcomed the guests and P. W. Wilson was chairman of the dance committee.

Miss Ethel Rogers, March bride-elect, was guest of honor Thursday evening, when Mrs. D. McPherson and Mrs. A. Petch held a miscellaneous shower at the home of the bride, 1290 Vista Heights. Games were played, the winners being Mrs. R. Cruickshanks, Mrs. A. Sprague and Miss Helen Pollock. Others present were: Mesdames D. Aaronson, W. Cross, Cunningham, Hawley, P. Harvey, E. Beer, W. More, E. Pollock, L. Whitehead, D. Hazlette, A. Sedgley, C. Middleton, W. Rogers and the Misses Joyce McQuade, Sylvia Petch, Claire Pollock and Ruth Rogers.

Mrs. Beverley C. Gilson and Mrs. J. Ingram Smith were joint hostesses at a luncheon party held at the home of the latter, 1271 Kings Road, in honor of Miss Evelyn Slater, an April bride-to-be. The guest of honor was presented with a luncheon clink. Others present were: Mesdames M. McCabe, J. Jones, A. Cann, H. McCaw, J. Kirby, G. Stoney, and Miss Margaret Matthews.

Miss Mary Walls, whose marriage will take place this month, was honored when Mrs. Ed. Mc. Kim entertained at her home on Cranmore Road with a miscellaneous shower. Those present included Mesdames B. Walls, F. Rawnsley, W. J. Twitchell, B. R. Marr, H. Kayll, G. Stock, E. Cridge, and the Misses Betty Francis, Doris Rawnsley, Ella and Betty Marr, Dorothy Tempest, Pam McConna, Doreen Copas, Audrey and Betty Kayll, Ruth Walker, Audrey Cridge and Bonnie Rawlinson.

Miss Eleanor Hourston, whose marriage will take place this month, was guest of honor at a handkerchief shower given by Mrs. H. B. Leavitt, King George Terrace. Master Donny Leavitt presented the corsage bouquet and handed the gifts to the bride-elect. Games were enjoyed and prizes won by Miss E. Watkiss and Mrs. N. H. Grant. Other guests were Mesdames A. Houson, R. Crawford, E. Crisfield, E. Hickman, A. Seyler, H. Watt, I. Lindley, A. Hourston, E. Mitchell, M. Muth, M. Nutall, G. Shubrook, F. Smirl, J. Spong and D. Tams.

A cheque for \$100 was sent to the Channel Islands Refugee Fund in London, it was announced at a meeting of the W.A.C. Mrs. D. J. Mugford presiding. A large box of clothing was packed for shipment to Great Britain and a letter was read from Mrs. M. Richards at Channel Island headquarters in London, testifying as to the excellent quality of the clothing sent from Canada and the U.S.A.

To Reside in Victoria



Weddings

KNOKE-JAMIESON

The wedding took place in St. Martin's-in-the-Field Church Friday evening of Sadie Forbes, younger daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Jamieson, 450 Walter Avenue, and Walter B. J. Knoke, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. Knoke, Prince Albert, Sask. Rev. K. L. Sandercock officiated.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a floor-length gown of white satin with a sweetheart neckline and fingertip length net veil. She carried a bouquet of white carnations and narcissi. Mrs. W. Rose was her sister's only attendant, frocked in ice blue chiffon and carrying a bouquet of spring flowers. Harold Mullis was best man.

A reception was held at the home of the bride's parents, where Mr. Mullis proposed the toast to the bride.

When Mr. and Mrs. Knoke left on their wedding trip, the bride was wearing a beige ensemble with pale blue and black accessories. On their return they will make their home in Victoria.

Club Calendar

I.O.D.E. major project committee, Monday, 7.30

W.A. to Children's Aid Society, W.Y.C.A., Monday, 2.30.

St. Paul's W.A., Tuesday, 2.45, Scout Hall, Esquimalt.

St. Mark's W.A., Tuesday, 2.30, Parish Hall.

W.A. to the R.C.A.S.C., Monday, 8, Y.W.C.A.

B.C. Toy Club, April 5, 10, All finished articles for the circus will be received.

Victoria C.C.F. Women's Council, Tuesday, 2.30, 857 Pandora Avenue.

Zeta Chapter, Beta Sigma Phi, Monday, Y.W.C.A. Choral practice, 7.15.

Court Maple Leaf, No. 9202, A.O.F., Monday, 7.30, Bingo will be played.

Second Mile Club, First Baptist Church, Tuesday, 8, home of Mrs. C. W. Dosworth, 742 Lampson Street. Mystery sale.

United Church W.M.S. Presbytery executive, Monday evening, Oriental Home. Branch reports will be read.

Municipal Chapter, I.O.D.E., executive, Monday, 10.30. Official meeting.

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Red Cross Notes

Parade Monday — All ranks, except those under special orders, of No. 1 Detachment, Canadian Red Cross Corps, will parade at Christ Church Memorial Hall, Monday, at 7.45. Orderly officer for week ending April 1, Sec. Ldr. Darling; next for duty, Q.M. Lowe. Orderly corporal for the week L.C. Burrows; next for duty, Cpl. Roche.

Change Meeting — Emergency Reserve of No. 1 Detachment, Canadian Red Cross Corps, will meet at 7.30 Tuesday, room 214, Pemberton Building.

First United Y.P.U. — At the Fireside Hour to be held Sunday, following the evening service, J. H. Fowler, World's Work Secretary for the Y.M.C.A., will present slides on his travels. A swimming party has been planned for Tuesday. Members will meet at the Crystal Garden at 7.30.

P.T.A. NEWS
McKenzie Avenue — A 500 card party will be held in the Marigold Hall, Monday, at 8.

Engagements

Announcements to appear under this heading will be accepted at The Times Advertising Department. Minimum charge for each line, and 15¢ for each additional line.

Commissioned Shipwright B. F. Day and Mrs. B. F. Day, 345 Cook Street, announce the engagement of their youngest daughter, Gertrude Emily, to Sgt. Samuel George Humphreys, R.C.A.F., son of Mr. and Mrs. T. Humphreys of Winnipeg. The wedding will take place April 17, at 8 p.m., at St. John's Church.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. McLaren, 47 Menzies Street, announce the engagement of their only daughter, Elizabeth (Betty) McLaren, to Leading Seaman W. J. Hood, R.C.N., eldest son of Mrs. D. Hood, 106 St. Andrews Street, and Mr. A. W. Hood of Edmonton, Alta.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Campbell, Beaver Lake, announce the engagement of their twin daughter, Gladys Catherine, to L.V.A. Thomas H. Wilson, R.C.N.V.R., eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Wilson, Edmonton, Alta. The wedding will take place April 8, Jolla, Calif.



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Christian Science War Relief Rooms Are Enlarged

Many people thronged the rooms at 1112 Government St. of the Victoria Branch of B.C. Christian Science War Relief Friday to inspect the enlarged premises so long needed for the volume of work the branch is doing.

Last year over 1,526 garments were sent to England; 197 pounds of virgin wool was used in the making of quilts (this does not include "teased" wool made from donated garment unfit for remake or shipment as "seconds"); 206 yards of flannelette and 90 yards of cotton. None of these figures include donations.

Hundreds of toys were made and sent to England as the Victoria branch contributes to five nursery schools and completely supplies all necessities for two others. Clothing, new and reconditioned, shoes, socks, mitts, coats, hats, quilts, scrap books of brilliant color for the children and milk bottle tops made into alphabet or number circles are all a part of the work done by these women.

QUILT A WEEK

At present the branch makes a quilt a week which takes three and a half pounds of virgin wool, or teased wool. Incidentally, it takes seven pounds of "used" wool materials to make three and a half pounds of teased.

In the new location the War Relief is housed in five spacious rooms. There is an office where records are kept and adjacent to it the sewing-room where packing, sorting, mending and sewing takes place. Old garments are made over, scraps are made into dusters and even old towels become neat face cloths, the last two named being almost unobtainable in Great Britain.

Work is done in groups, often much of it being done in homes, with the workroom being carried on by other members.

Hundreds of toys have been made and these, too, are all created from "teased" wool used for stuffing with materials used being scraps left over from coats, dresses or pants.

CLOTHING SHORTAGE

There is a tremendous shortage of clothing in Great Britain for boys from 12 to 16, so with this in mind, the committee purchased shirts, trousers, socks and a warm windbreaker each for a number of boys with money recently realized through war relief activities.

Each toy and garment sent from the Victoria branch bears a cloth label sewn on with the inscription: "British Columbia Christian Science War Relief Committee, . . . Love from Canada."

Not forgetting the "bundles of joy," layettes are made and sewn into their shipping wrappings which contain two dozen nappies, bath towels, generous gift for mother, three vests, three nighties, face cloth, sweaters and bonnets, mitts, tooth brush, soap, baby powder, cream, a toy and a cuddly flannelette blanket.

Bearing in mind that before the war there were 27,000 textile factories producing in Great Britain, of which only 10 per cent are in operation now with only a portion of this produce going to civilian consumption, there is a great need for war relief production to be stepped up, and the Victoria branch of B.C. Christian Science War Relief under the chairmanship of Mrs. Daisy Thirwell, with Mrs. V. Anderson in charge of sewing groups and Mrs. H. W. Smith convening toy creations, hopes to better last year's production in all departments.

Dorothy Dix

MARRIED FOR MONEY

Dear Dorothy Dix—Before my marriage I let my husband know that I expected to inherit a fortune. When we were first married he tried to act as though he cared for me, but I knew deep down in my heart that he didn't. He would give me money to run the house on and then give it back by lying to me and giving it to a married woman with whom he was having an affair. Then he gave up all pretense of showing any affection for me.

Now it is nearly time for me to receive the money and he has begun to renew his attention to me and to pretend that he is crazy about me. What do you think? Does he love me? Or is he making a play to get the money?

DISGUSTED.

Answer—You have had ample proof that he married you for your money, so you will be very foolish if you permit yourself to be deceived again. If you want to keep your husband, you will have to keep your money. So my advice to you is to hang on to your pocketbook with both hands and to have your estate settled on you in such a manner that he cannot wheelie it out of you.

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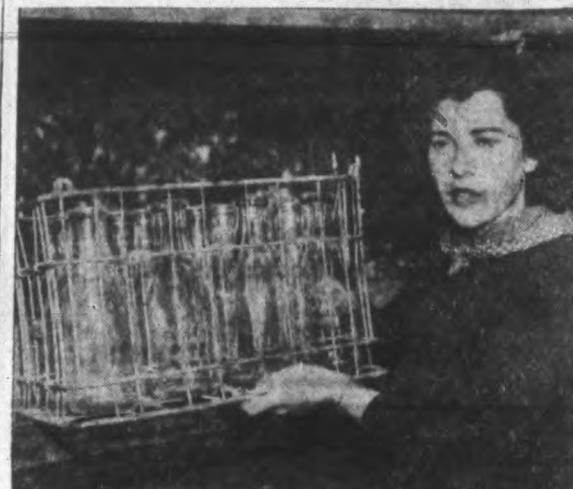
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Victoria's 'Debs' Drive Milk Wagons



"Early to bed, early to rise," is no idle slogan for the many young women who are replacing men in delivering Victoria's morning milk. Above, Miss Betty Russell, 1461 Hampshire Road, unloads a case of "empties" at the end of a day's work, which starts at 7 and ends at approximately 12:30. Miss Russell has been driving a milk truck for four months.



Miss Waanda Ross, 650 Beach Drive, shown at the wheel of her truck, has been a "milkmaid" for over a year, and is pleased with this job that gives her a greater part of the day free.



First girl to drive a milk truck in Sept., 1942, was Miss Daphne Nunn, 1663 Elgin Road, who is pictured leaving a quart of milk for some family's early breakfast.

Annual Guide Meeting

Annual meeting of the Canadian Girl Guide, South Vancouver Island Division, will be held Monday at 8 in the Y.W.C.A. Bishop H. E. Sexton and Miss D. Illingworth, provincial commissioners of B.C. Girl Guides, will be the speakers.

Mrs. Fred Spencer is the general convener and during the performances the girls of the Victoria Drill Team will lend their services as ushers. Tickets may be obtained from the Marionette Library, Fletcher Bros., and any member of the chapter.

All proceeds from this play will go towards the milk fund of the chapter, who supply from 100 to 200 half pints of milk each day to the undernourished children of the schools. This good work has been carried out for the past 25 years by this organization and even with the many calls people have these days to help war services and buy Victory Bonds this organization has maintained the fund and contributions.

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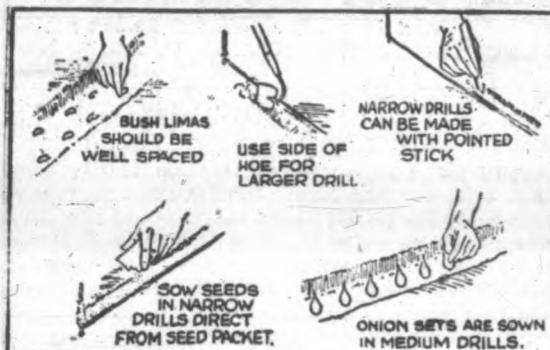
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Young Plants Need Care In Transplanting



By HENRY L. PREE

BECAUSE we depend upon seeds for our vegetables, by all means start with good seeds. It is always most economical to buy seeds of good quality and from reliable local and nationally recognized dealers. Avoid those who sell "cut-rate," as well as the door-to-door agent who is not an authorized representative of a well-known firm.

Seeds sown out of doors in the garden are usually sown in furrows or hills. A furrow is a shallow trench and the seed is sown rather close together, lightly covered with fine soil. Hill sowing is placing a few seeds close together at regularly distant intervals.

Beet, carrot, spinach, etc., are examples of furrow sowing, while seeds of squash, cucumbers and pole beans are sown in hills. No seed should be sown until the soil has been well prepared and

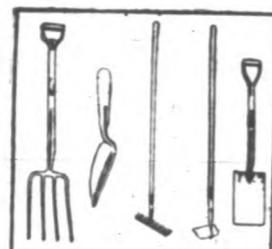
the rows staked out according to your preconceived plan.

First, rake the surface of the soil to break up lumps and to remove any sticks or large stones which have worked up. Second, stretch a fairly stout line a couple of inches high along the row to be planted, making sure that it is straight and tight. Third, use the handle or the corner of the hoe to make the shallow furrow the recommended depth for that particular seed. Fourth, sprinkle a little fertilizer in the bottom of the furrow, cultivate in and water with sprinkling can or hose. Fifth, cover seed with soil and tamp with back of hoe or flat board to insure contact of seed and soil.

To sow seed thickly means to thin quickly, and by careful handling, 50 per cent of your seed and much labor of thinning will be saved. Small seed should be sown by having only a few in the ground and letting them fall through the fingers. With practice, the novice can soon place the seed in a straight line and at regular intervals.

No definite rule can be made as to the depth for placing seed, the smaller the seed, the nearer to the surface should be the rule. Generally speaking, four times the thickness of the seed is advised. Seed in clay soil should be shallower than in sandy soil. Early and late sowing should also be nearer the surface.

Buy Best Tools You Can Afford



Essential garden tools, left to right above, are: square-tine digging fork, offset handled trowel, level-headed rake, six-inch hoe, lightweight spade.

By HENRY L. PREE

ONE cannot do good gardening with poor tools. Because there are not many tools for sale, the gardener must choose wisely and buy the best.

Cheap tools are usually stamped out of thin-gauge sheet metal and lack adequate weight and strength. The parts, usually riveted together, soon work loose, while handles of inferior, unseasoned wood tend to break or warp.

Good tools are, wherever practicable, forged from a single piece of oil-tempered steel with best quality, straight-grained northern white ash handles. Good quality tools possess proper balance,

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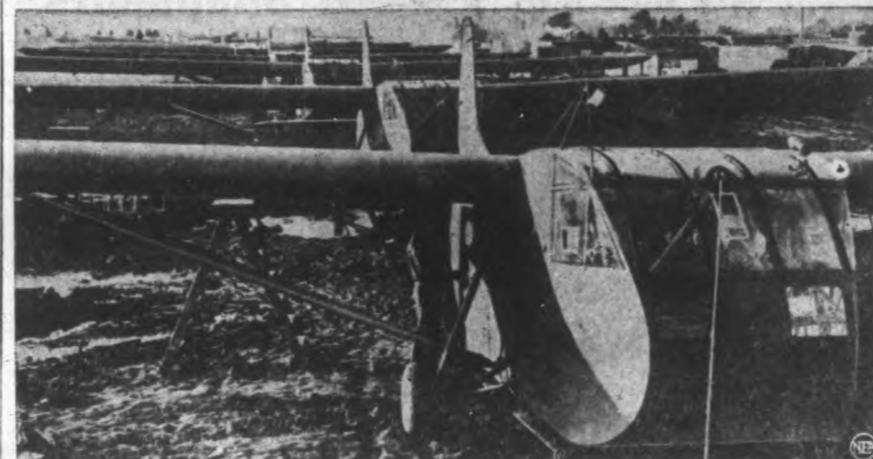
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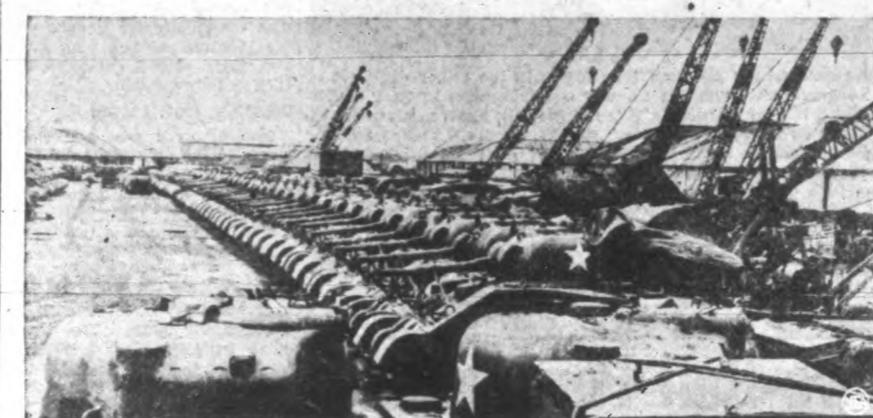
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HOUSING—As far as the eye can see, stacks of prefabricated barracks and huts.

weight stamina, lasting temper and a special fitness for doing their own particular job.

The essential tools, in my opinion, consist of a long-handled shovel, light in weight because it is easy on the back; a digging fork with square tines, useful for breaking up the heavy clay soil and for spreading manure and compost; a garden hoe with a six-inch-wide blade; and a sturdy steel garden rake with a level head, one with curved teeth on which the shanks have been welded to the rake; and an offset socket, seven-inch blade, nurseryman's trowel. The offset handle is most handy for transplanting seedling plants.

Other essential garden equipment includes a tape measure and/or yardstick; line and stakes; watering can, hose, and washers; duster; sprayer; pruning shears; and a sharp knife.

A wheel cultivator, garden spade, wheelbarrow, mattock hoe, four-tine manure fork, are other tools to add as your income or the supply permits. Adjustable tools are not recommended since they easily get out of kilter.

CULTIVATING the Victory garden should start as soon as the young plants begin to grow in the garden rows.

At this stage, if the soil between the rows is stirred, it will be found to be full of tiny white sprouts, which are weeds, beginning to develop.

One easy stroke of a sharp hoe will destroy scores of them before they have begun to compete with the vegetable plants for available plant food and water.

As long as weeds are killed in infancy, cultivation will be easy, but once they are allowed to begin substantial growth, not only do crops suffer, but work will increase, and the care of the garden may become a chore.

When tools are kept sharp and cultivation never neglected, it

calls for no more physical exertion than wielding a broom. Modern advice is to take it easy and never stir the ground deeper than one inch. This is sufficient to kill young weeds, without disturbing the roots of the vegetable plants. It also breaks the soil crust, and allows air and water to penetrate readily.

Deep cultivation will dry out the soil, and may disturb the surface roots of your vegetable plants, which may do more harm than the cultivation does good.

Besides destroying weeds in the space between rows, those which grow in the row itself must be pulled when tiny. This requires hand work, and is always tedious, but if attended to promptly it takes little time, and once the vegetables have become well established, hand weeding will be unnecessary.

BOOKS

Decadent Europe, Virile Russia

"THE FUTURE POPULATION OF EUROPE AND THE SOVIET UNION," Princeton University Research (published by Columbia University Press).

POPULATION of northwestern and central Europe will decline within the next generation.

The decline will be speeded up by the war, but would occur in any case.

Indeed, most of the countries of this region will attain their maximum population by 1955 if the trends of the interwar period continue.

Population of southern and eastern Europe will increase somewhat longer.

That of the Soviet Union will experience an enormous growth within prewar boundaries, and in spite of large war losses will have gained perhaps as many as 50,000,000 people between 1940 and 1970.

These conclusions are derived from a series of population projections that form the basis of a study about to be published by the Economic, Financial and Transit Department of the League of Nations at Princeton, New Jersey.

The study has been conducted for the League of Nations by the Office of Population Research of Princeton University, and available in book form under the title, "The Future Population of Europe and the Soviet Union."

The authors call attention to the difference between the situation at the time of the First World War, when war losses were quickly closed over by the high rate of natural increase of rapidly-growing populations, and the current one when the war strikes European populations, which are growing at a much slower rate. The losses will be made up with great difficulty, if at all, in northwestern Europe. Only in southeastern Europe and in Soviet Russia may they be expected to quickly recover by natural increase.

Fundamentally, these different rates of growth are related to the age structure of the populations. The northwestern and central European countries have populations centring in higher age groups than those of the southeast and Russia. The most numerous age group in Germany in 1940 was that of 30 to 35 years, while the Soviet Union had more children under five than in any other five-year age span, who will form the basis for rapid growth during the next few decades. Migration from the more rapidly growing to the less rapidly growing areas might affect the situation but would have to be on an unprecedented scale in order to change the picture materially, and the authors do not expect a balance to be achieved in this way.

These conditions may be expected to raise different economic and social problems for the countries of slower and those of more rapid growth. The northwestern and central European countries will face the necessity of adapting their institutions to an older population with fewer dependent children and more dependent old people. Persons over 65 years of age in that area are now only a little over one-third as numerous as those under 15, but by 1970, on the assumptions of the projections, there will be almost as many over 65 as under 15 years. The economy must then employ an increasing number of older workers, for while the total labor force is likely to remain virtually stationary during the next 25 years, the number of these workers between 45 and 65 years of age will increase by about 14,000,000.

In southern and eastern Europe the already existent pressure of population upon a largely agrarian economy will be aggravated by rapid increases in the labor force, too large to be cancelled even by severe war losses. In this area the most rapid population growth is occurring in the poorest and most backward sections. The authors find their best hope for relief in the industrialization and economic development of the region, which would meet the double purpose of providing the means of raising the level of living and at the same time foster the conditions that in the past have brought about a reduction in fertility and population growth. They see little likelihood that rapid growth in the Soviet Union holds any threat of serious population pressure. Her vast territory and undeveloped resources would seem to assure adequate opportunity for a rapidly increasing population.

They suggest that "the pattern of industrialization, rising standard of living and gradual lessening of population growth which has occurred in western Europe may be expected to follow in Russia."

Disclaiming any ability as crystal gazers, the authors point out that much of the demographic development of the period up to 1970 is inevitably

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calm and equable . . . Lacking the textual evidence, the reviewer would hardly have thought it possible. But there it is, meaning whatever it may, and he who runs may read it.

ANOTHER BUNDLE

"THE TWO MRS. ABBOTTS," a new Bunch book by D. E. Stevenson, published by the Oxford University Press, Toronto.

MISS STEVENSON has written another Bunch book, following her two previous ones, "Miss Bunch's Book," and "Miss Bunch Married."

In this latest bit of delightful light fiction we learn how war has brought external changes to the little English town of Wansleybury with its cobblestone square and fountain in the middle, where pigeons go wheeling about or strutting on the stone rim of the fountain. Barbara Abbott, the former Miss Bunch, has settled down here with her publisher husband and two small children, Simon and Fay. Barbara has always been a sort of magnet, she attracted funny little incidents as a magnet attracts steel. "The Two Mrs. Abbotts" is definitely an English tale, both in characterization and setting. There is excitement, humor and romance in the story.



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Sports Mirror

By PETE SALLAWAY

MANY of the old die-hard supporters of soccer just about burst a blood vessel when the present substitution rule was adopted in Canada. As a matter of fact, I still hear them criticizing the rule, claiming it should never be allowed. I can imagine just how they will react to another new idea.

Chatting to Pat Mulcahy, local soccer commissioner, the other day he suggested a penalty system for the game the same as in ice hockey. "I think it would pep up the game and at the same time give the referees a far better chance to keep players under control," Pat said. "Under the present rules, a referee hesitates to order a player off the field for a bad rule infraction as he knows it will mean a suspension for a couple of games or possibly longer. Result is that the players take liberties and that is quite often how a match gets out of hand."

"With a system of penalties the time a player would spend off the field would be governed by the nature of the foul. If a referee could wave a player to the sidelines for a penalty of say from 10 to 15 minutes, I think it would be a good thing for the game. Let's get away from the old tradition and introduce some modern ideas to the sport. I think some of the present rules must have been adopted at the time the sport was first played and are old-fashioned as grandma's bustle."

I agree with Mulcahy and think he should launch a campaign to put over his idea. At the same time, he might see what he can do about introducing the substitution rule to English rugby.

Army Boxing Finals

Disalvo Defeats Burns

PRINCE GEORGE (CP)—A troupe of boxers from Victoria area shared honors with Prince George in the Pacific Command boxing championships final Friday night ending the three-day tourney.

Prince George-Terrace tied with Victoria for area honors with 12 points, Vancouver tallied seven points for second place, Vernon five points for third and Prince Rupert and Nanaimo sharing bottom berths with three points apiece.

The committee of judges ruled a Prince George striping, Pte. H. Weber of the infantry, the game's loser, and a colored batter, Gnr. Hiram Berry of Victoria, the most popular winner.

Victoria took six titles, Vancouver four, Prince George-Terrace three, Vernon two and Prince Rupert one.

Pte. J. Smith, representing the Prince George-Terrace area, won the first championship when he came out on top after a heavy exchange with Rfmm. B. Mangan from Victoria in the novice welterweight final.

In the novice bantam final Pte. S. Benamio from the Vernon camp won a decision over G. Cause of Prince George, gaining the edge with heavy body blows that broke through Cause's weaving style.

The first knockout came in the novice heavyweight final when Gnr. H. C. Fries of Vancouver kayed Gnr. J. Mackinnon of Vernon in the third round after a slugfest.

Pte. R. Trembley of Vernon won a decision over Pte. I. Sherman of Prince Rupert in the novice featherweight final.

In the novice middleweight final Pte. W. N. Dywan of Prince Rupert knocked out Pte. J. Guzocrea of Nanaimo in the second round.

Gnr. M. Rosnyk of Vancouver won a decision over Pte. V. Moratz of Prince George in the novice light-heavyweight final.

In the novice lightweight final Sergt. A. B. (Red) Napper of Prince George won an easy decision over Pte. P. Sol of Nanaimo.

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OINTMENT

That's an improvement that sport should have adopted years and years ago.

What may prove to be the writing on the wall for college sports in the United States is the announcement by the University of Oregon that it will withdraw from all athletics, effective July 1. The move is for the duration of the war and members of the coaching staff will be called upon to take indefinite leaves of absence. Among those affected will be Bill Hayward, veteran track coach, who has been on the Oregon staff for 30 years; Howard Hobson, basketball and baseball coach, and John Warren, football coach.

When Bill Dickey, veteran New York Yankee baseball catcher, was drafted into the navy, it put a serious crimp in his chance of ever becoming the top man of all time in world series play.

Dickey now holds, at 38 games, the record of world series games played with one club. He set that mark last fall, breaking Babe Ruth's mark of 36. But Dickey is still 12 games short of Frankie Frisch's record of having played in 50 series contests. Frisch played 26 with the New York Giants and 24 with the St. Louis Cards.

Dickey, who has caught more than 100 games a season for the Yanks for 13 consecutive campaigns—could—if the Yanks got into the '44 series and he was with that club—have closed considerable ground on Frisch. But by the time he gets back into baseball and into a world series his hopes will be dimmed.

Dickey is a grand catcher and a great fellow. It is too bad the fortunes of war moved him out of the picture.

Major Basketball Undertaking



During the past winter the K.V.'s have successfully operated four teams in the minor divisions of the Victoria and District Basketball League. After winning the city championships in their respective leagues the clubs went on to capture the intermediate "A" island title; lower island intermediate "B" crown; junior coast championship and the island midget honors. This week the club got all its teams and coaches together and the above picture was the result. From left to right those in the picture are, front row: B. Griffin, D. Corey, G. Minnis, D. Minnis, coach; D. McKinnon, A. Marr and B. Burnett; second row: Peter Campbell, coach; R. Castner, C. Browning, G. Ellis, J. McMillan, B. Tomp, H. Tooby, and Bert Simpson, club manager; third row, H. Turner, head coach; D. Trace, A. Stewart, R. Anderson, L. Booth, P. Hampton, and H. Turner sr., club president; back row, B. Long, D. Howell, W. Derr, J. Walker, C. MacKay, J. Ranson, and B. McKay. Following were absent when the picture was taken: B. Johnstone, G. Straith, B. Hampton, H. Yardley, G. Hunter, B. Page, P. Marr, M. Poskett, and J. John.

Canadiens Favored Over Leafs Tonight

TORONTO (CP)—The Stanley Cup play-off scene today shifted to Toronto, Montreal Canadiens arriving here today for a renewal of their best-of-seven semifinal play-off series with Toronto Maple Leafs. The series now is tied 1 to 1, after two games in Montreal.

There is every indication of a sellout crowd for tonight's game in Maple Leaf Gardens, where seating capacity is just under 13,000. The fourth game will be played here Tuesday night.

Fresh from their 5 to 1 conquest of Leafs in Montreal Thursday night, after the 3 to 1 Toronto victory in the opener Tuesday, Canadians were listed as favorites in early betting, one Toronto man offering to bet \$25 to \$5 that they will win tonight although other odds scaled down to 2 to 1 and 8 to 5. However, the odds may narrow somewhat under the pressure of Toronto money at the game.

Mort Cooper Signs

ST. LOUIS (AP)—Mort Cooper, leading pitcher of St. Louis Cardinals who has been a holdout, Friday signed a one-year contract and will leave for the club's training camp at Cairo, Ill.

Neither Cooper nor president Sam Breadon would give any details. Cooper was asking \$17,500, about \$5,000 over his reported salary in 1913 when he won 21 and lost eight games for the National League champions. He won the Cardinals' only game in the world series with New York Yankees.

Maynard Cup Golf Scheduled Sunday

Second round of the Maynard Cup competition will be played at the Gorge Vale Golf Club Sunday.

Draw follows:

9.00—P. Moran, W. D. Johnson, A. Clarke
9.05—E. Oakley, J. E. Esken, A. Oakley
9.10—R. L. Thompson, E. Bracht, E. Hume
9.15—R. McDonald, C. Jenkins, G. Feth
9.20—R. J. Jenkins, L. DeCosta
9.25—R. J. Jenkins, A. Pritchard, L. DeCosta
9.30—R. W. Obey, Victoria
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Following matches are scheduled in the Capital City and District Carpet Bowling tournament at the Foresters' Hall:

MONDAY	Open Doubles
Currie and Dennison	vs. Bridges and
Cruckshank and Dyer	vs. Jenkins and
Coyne	Whittle and Townsend
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Waterlogged Barge Towed to Safety

Waterlogged after a desperate fight with tempestuous seas off Cape Beale, the log-laden barge Malahat lay safely at anchor in Green Cove, entrance to Barkley Sound, where she was towed by the Victoria tug "Commodore." Pumping and salvage equipment has been forwarded by train to Port Alberni by the tug's owners, Strait Towing and Salvage Co. Ltd.

Capt. H. R. Robinson of the local company said the barge was safe and would be quickly pumped out. The barge, which is owned by Gibson Brothers Ltd., of Vancouver, was bound from Kyuquot to this port Wednesday night when it was nearly swamped by heavy seas five miles off Beale. The ticklish situation was made known by radio-telephone and salvage vessels and lifeboat crews stood by to give aid.

The Commodore, however, managed to keep the Malahat under control and after taking the crew aboard towed the barge, which was awash to the waterline, to safety inside Barkley Sound.

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Funeral arrangements are pending.

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Sgt.-Pilot A. T. (Alf) Jenkins, 20, R.C.A.F., son of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Jenkins, 518 Joffre, Esquimalt, who graduated as pilot from No. 11 S.F.T.S., Yorkton, Sask., has left for London, Ont., after spending leave with his parents. He was born here, completed his education at Esquimalt High School, was prominent in sports, soccer, basketball and box lacrosse . . . A Victoria boy on leave is Sgt. George Henry Allen, 20, R.C.A.F., who recently graduated as wireless air gunner from No. 5 B and S School, Dafoe, Sask. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James Allen, 234, Oswego . . . Another W.A.G. Dafoe graduate now home is Sgt. Phillip A. Barber, 20, R.C.A.F., son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry J. Barber, 338 Michigan. He joined the air force in December, 1942, went to Edmonton manning depot, and was on leave for several months before posting to Winnipeg and Dafoe. Allen and Barber have been posted to Patricia Bay.

PO. J. E. Scott, R.C.A.F., Kil-donan, V.I., has graduated and received his commission at 11 S.F.T.S., Yorkton, Sask., Western Air Command reports. . . . Sgt. C. H. McInnes, R.C.A.F. Chemainus, graduated as gunner from No. 3 B and G school, Macdonald, Man.

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Two Cars Damaged

A car driven north on Davie Street by Mrs. Mary E. Hetherington, 3550 Beach Drive, struck a parked car near Leighton Road today, pushing it under the rear of a truck. Damage to the car, owned by Charles Thorntinson Sr., 1637 Davie Street, and Mrs. Hetherington's car was considered, police said. The truck was owned by the Empire Wood Co. A motorcycle ridden west on Hillside by Pte. A. P. Tacques, Work Point Barracks, and a car driven north on Cooks by Norman W. F. Grant, Lily Road, collided Friday. No one was injured.

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CPO. James Hay, native of Edinburgh, Scotland, who made his home in Victoria for three years past, was killed at sea, Feb. 28, according to advices received by his sister, Mrs. Jessie Kierstead, Niagara Falls, Ont. A brother, Peter, also lives at Niagara Falls. No details are available regarding the death of Hay. He had been in the Royal Navy for a quarter of a century, and was pensioned as chief petty officer. He was acting in that capacity for some time on H.M.C.S. Prince Robert.

ASPO. James H. Joyce, R.C.C.N.V.R., who was recently promoted from leading stoker at a west coast establishment of R.C.N. Formerly a lumber employee at Port Alberni, Joyce joined the navy in May, 1941. Since that time he has served a year in one of Canada's newest minesweepers. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Joyce, 2524 Quadra. Two brothers are at present in the Canadian Army and a sister is serving with the R.C.A.F. (W.D.)

PO. J. E. Scott, R.C.A.F., Kil-donan, V.I., has graduated and received his commission at 11 S.F.T.S., Yorkton, Sask., Western Air Command reports. . . . Sgt. C. H. McInnes, R.C.A.F. Chemainus, graduated as gunner from No. 3 B and G school, Macdonald, Man.

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CLARK—To S.P.O. James R. Clark, R.C.N.R., and Mrs. Clark (nee Catherine Snell), at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, on March 24, a son.

MARRIAGES

KNOKE-JAMIESON—Mr. and Mrs. John Jamieson, 450 Walter Avenue, announced the birth of their fourth daughter, Badie Fortune, to Mr. Walter B. J. Knoke, son of Mr. and Mrs. Knoke, 1008 Douglas Street. The wedding took place in St. Martin's-in-the-Field Church on Friday, March 24. Rev. K. L. Sanderson officiated.

DEATHS

MANSON—There passed away at his home, 101 Fife Street, on Friday, March 24, 1944, John Manson, aged 64 years; born in Norwich, England, and a resident of this city since 1908. He is survived by his wife, and three children, all in Victoria.

Funeral services will be held on Monday afternoon in McCallum's Funeral Chapel at 2 o'clock. Rev. T. M. MacLennan will officiate. Interment will be in the family plot in Colwood Burial Park.

SCARBOUGH—At 1:45 a.m. on March 24, 1944, Reginald Scarborough, 61, of 1044 Fort Street, died in his sleep. He was born in 1884; a resident of Victoria for 34 years. He is survived by three daughters and William of Victoria, and George in Scotland, and three daughters, A. M. and Mrs. M. M. Parsons, Gray in England and Mrs. D. Wilson of Milwaukee, U.S.A.

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Love of Danger Strong Motive

WHILE much of our fear is imaginary and ridiculous, the fear we find ourselves confronting is often justified, and the situation so hazardous that no one can doubt its peril. In that case we are commonly defeated by the fallacy that dangerous situations are necessarily undesirable; whereas the fact is that even a fearful danger if it be frankly and openly faced can provide one of the most stimulating experiences in life.

SURMOUNTING FEAR

At first sight our predicament may be terrifying and our initial response consternation. Moreover, there may be ample justification for dismay. Life can be cruel and terrible and anyone who expects to escape that fact is asking for a life at sea without storms. Emerson even said that "He has not learned the lesson of life who does not every day surmount a fear." One major secret of doing that is to feel the stimulus of hazardous occasions rather than the dread.

Love of danger is one of the strongest motives in man. When life does not by itself present men with enough hazard, they go out looking for it. They seek it even in their sports. Mankind from its earliest beginnings was nurtured on danger and is unhappy without it.

Only so can such enterprises be explained as trying to climb Mount Everest or to reach the poles. Graham Wallas, thinking of the major explorers of the race, finds in the love of danger one of their strongest motives: "Perhaps, indeed, it is the desire for fear rather than the impulse of curiosity which has been the most important single cause of those dangerous journeys."

WAR'S DANGERS

We have not dealt adequately with the problem of eliminating war until in addition to all the social factors we take into account the strong support war has

in man's psychology. War's terrors are hideous, but at the same time its dangers are attractive.

General Robert E. Lee said in the midst of one of his bloodiest battles: "It is well that war is so fond of it!" The persistent need of a "moral equivalent of war" springs from the fact that enterprises attractively dangerous, are a sine qua non of healthy human life.

STIMULATING

Many find this is risky researches and explorations, in missionary adventures, in thinking daring thoughts, in pioneering new and unaccepted fields, in championing unpopular causes, or in compelling themselves habitually in daily life to do things they are afraid of. Thus a character in a modern novel says: "If I knew anything, any least little thing, I was afraid of I'd go right off and do it—do it good and hard."

When life faces us with danger, therefore, let us make the most of it! If we get out of it only or mainly fearfulness and anxiety, that is our doing. Stimulus also is waiting there to be appropriated if we will.

To stand up to a hazardous situation, to refuse suppression and subterfuge in dealing with it, to face it objectively as a seaman does a tempest, to turn in not so much on its terror as on its challenge, to let it call out in us our fearfulness but our love of battle, is a healthy, inspiring experience.

So Voltaire said: "This world is warfare; I love to carry it on, it puts life into me." And so one humble woman, coming out from a second painful operation on her eyes under local anaesthesia only, knowing that she would never see again, called her two sons to her and said: "Now I'll show you how to take trouble. How you take it is the only thing that it's important."

When Christians Teach Prejudice, They Are Betraying Christ Afresh

Text: Mark 14:10, 11, 53, 54, 66-72; 15: 12-15

By WILLIAM E. GILROY, D.D.

AMERICANISM, are encouraging against Jews and other minorities in our American communities.

IN THESE DAYS when so much anti-Semitic feeling is abroad in the world it seems important that in the study and teaching of this lesson we should avoid anything in condemnation of "the Jews," and especially in condemnation of Jews of today because of the betrayal, denial, and condemnation of Jesus.

If a Jew betrayed Him, other Jews were loyal and faithful; suffering much persecution for His sake; the Jew who denied Him was the same Jew who confessed that He was the Christ, and who went out and wept bitterly after denying His Lord; it was Jews, inspired by their Scriptures, who looked expectantly for the coming of the Messiah, and who found in Jesus of Nazareth the fulfillment of their expectation and dream, it was Jews who believed in Jesus, Himself a Jew, who brought Christianity to the western world.

When in the name of Christianity anybody teaches or practices prejudice against Jews, he is betraying Christ afresh. And apart from all this it would be as reasonable to blame modern Greeks for the death of Socrates as to blame Jews of today for the death of Jesus.

I stress these things because those who study the Sunday School lessons can do a great deal to stem the tide of the brutal and pernicious wave of hatred that misguided persons, sometimes in the name of Christianity and as by the verdict of history.

Jesus said, "Father, forgive them; they know not what they do." Indeed, they did not know what they were doing.

Military Orders

114TH (INF.) RES. COMPANY, VETERANS GUARD OF CANADA

Duties—Orderly officer for the week ending April 2: Lieut. W. G. Stone; orderly N.C.O., A-Cpl. J. L. Adams.

Parades—March 22 at 19.45 hrs. Dress: Drill order with steel helmets. March 29, officers, N.C.O.'s and specialists at 20.00 hrs. Dress: Roll call order.

Notice—A Church Parade will be held Sunday, April 2. Fall in at Bay Street Armories at 10.15 hrs. Dress: Roll call order.

3RD (RES.) BATTALION, THE CANADIAN SCOTTISH REGIMENT (M.G.)

Duties—Orderly officer for the week ending April 2: Second Lieut. L. K. O'Neill; orderly N.C.O., A-L-Cpl. E. R. Gandy.

Parades—March 21, morning parade. Fall in 09.30 hrs. Dress: Drill order. Evening parade, Companies will fall in 19.45 hrs. Dress: Drill order with steel helmets and respirators slung. March 29, officers, N.C.O.'s, and

specialists will parade 19.45 hrs. Dress: Drill order.

April 2, church parade. Fall in at Bay Street Armories, 10.15 hrs. Dress: Roll call order.

303RD (RES.) FIELD BATTERY R.C.A.

Orderly officer for week, ending April 1, Lieut. N. H. Grant; next for duty, Lieut. C. K. Morison.

Parades—March 28, Armories, 19.45 hours. "F" troop only. March 30, Armories, 19.45 hours, "E" troop only. Dress, roll call order.

"F" troop will parade Tuesday 19.45 hours. Officers, N.C.O.'s and "Specialists" class: Dress, roll call order. March 31, Armories, 09.30 hours. Morning class. Dress, drill order with respirator. March 31, Armories, 19.45 hours, evening parade. Dress, drill order with respirator. Training as per unit syllabus.

In accordance with the provisions of C.A.R.O. the undermentioned personnel are entitled to wear service chevrons as follows:

Orderly N.C.O.—Cpl. K. L. Dingley.

Parades—March 27: No. 1 Armament, Armormen and M.T.'s will parade at Armories at 18.45 hours; dress, roll call order.

NO. 1 RES. R.C.O.C. FORTRESS WORKSHOP

Orderly officer for week, ending April 1—Lieut. G. F. Green.

Next for duty—2nd Lieut. J. L. Lefebvre.

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Landings from clippers which are exactly like those used on our trans-Atlantic route, and departures—both highly dramatic in real-life Lisbon these days—were filmed at the specially-built quay. Actual landings and take-offs of the clippers themselves, however, were filmed last month at Lisbon.

La Guardia Field is also used in "Affectionately Yours," which co-stars Merle Oberon and Dennis Morgan and comes Monday to the York Theatre.

OAK BAY-PLAZA THEATRES

Robert Benchley, celebrated humorist of stage and screen, is starred in a key role in Universal's "Flesh and Fantasy," in which he shares stellar honors with Betty Field, Robert Cummings, Edward G. Robinson, Charles Boyer and Barbara Stanwyck. The film is showing at the Oak Bay and Plaza Theatres.

CADET THEATRE

With Ann Miller heading a top-flight cast which includes such entertainers as Duke Ellington, Bob Crosby, Count Basie and Freddie Slack, and their respective orchestras, Columbia's sparkling "Reveille With Beverly" today ends its swinging-filled run at the Cadet Theatre.

Dominion Theatre

Several hundred extras were used by M-G-M for outdoor hospital scenes in "Cry Havoc," dramatic story of 13 women on Bataan, now playing at the Dominion Theatre. Five nurses were also assigned to the production to bandage the players for a sequence which features Ann Sothern and Joan Blondell. The cast also includes Margaret Sullivan, Marsha Hunt, Fay Bainter, Diana Lewis, Ella Raines, Dorothy Morris, Frances Gifford, Gloria Grafton, Fely Franquelli and Connie Gilchrist. Richard Thorpe directed and Edwin Knopf produced.

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6.00	News—CJVI. Town Meeting—CJQR. Saturday Broadcast—CBR .605. Nat'l Barn Dance—KOMO, KPO. Radio Parade—CJVR. Dinner Broadcast—CWXK. Chicago Theatre—KRL.	
6.30	Sport Headlines—CWXK. Chicago Theatre—KOL. Milwaukee Hour—CBR. Columbia Concert—CJVR. Across the Footlights—CWXK. This Is My Land—KOL. Days of War—KIRO, KJR.	
7.00	Royal Arch Convention—KOL. J. Dragomire—KIRO. Million Dollar Show—KOMO. Columbia Concert—CJVR. Across the Footlights—CWXK. This Is My Land—KIRO, KJR. Young Old Opry—KOMO, KPO. Red Ryder—CBR. Wagonwheel—CBR. Orman Revue—CBR. American Looks Abroad—CJVI. Joymakers—CWXK. L. Barrymore—KIRO.	
8.00	H. A. Robert—CBR. Robert's Music—CBR. Early Amer. Music—KJR. Downbeat Derby—KOL. The Young Hour—KIRO. Truth or Consequences—KOMO. Saturday Night in Britain—CJVI.	
8.30	Able's Irish Rose—KOMO. Inner Sanctum—KOMO. American Looks—CBR. Cotton and Cone—KJR.	
9.00	News—KOL, KOMO. Leicester Square—CBR. The Young Hour—CBR. Cowboy Hit Review—KJR. Concert Hall—CJVI.	
9.30	Three Suns Trio—CBR, KOMO. Midnight Hour—KOL. New Rhythms—CWA. Don't Believe It—KIRO, KJR. 8 & 9—KJR. Midnight in Mayfair—CJVI.	
10.00	News—CWXK, KIRO, CBR CJVI.	
11.00	Music Hour—KJR. Organ Melodies—KOL. Brunch—New KOMO. Smatra vs. Crosby—KOMO.	
11.30	Dai Richards—CJVR. The Drift—CBR. Broadway Echoes—KOL. Close of Day—CWXK. Party Time—CJVR.	
12.00	Don't Believe It—KJR. Dancer's King—CJVI. Anything—CWXK. News—KOMO, KOL, KIRO. News—CBR at 1120.	
12.30	Olympic Hotel—CBR, KOMO. Dance—CBR, CJVI.	
13.00	News—KOMO at 1145.	
TOMORROW		
8.00	News—KJR. Shirley—KOMO. What's Your War Job?—KJR. News—Training Station—KIRO.	
8.30	8 & 9—KJR. Radio Leisure—CBR. Sunday Concert—CWXK.	
9.00	Visiting Nurse—KOMO. Invitation to Learning—KIRO. Columbia Concert—CBR. Composer's Corner—CBR. Voice of Prophecy—CBR.	
9.30	News—KOMO, CBR, CJVI. Bible Club—CBR. Music in Transition—CWXK. Chicago Round Table—KPO. Weekly War Journal—KJR.	
10.00	News—KIRO. The Family Hour—CWXK. Stradivarius Orchestra—KOMO. Christian Science—CBR.	
10.30	The Way of the Spirit—CBR.	
11.00	News—KOL, KOMO, KJR. God's Hour—CJVR.	
11.30	Church of the Air—KIRO. Hello—CBR, CJVR, CJVI. Just a Party—CJVR at 1915.	
12.00	Hokey Hall—KOL. Round Up—KOMO. Cornelius Yesselson—CBR. Reverend—CBR.	
12.30	Country Church—CWXK. Sammy Kaye—KJR. Voice of Memory—CJVI.	
13.00	News—CBR. Metropolitan Tabernacle—CJQR. Those We Love—KOMO. Cathedral—KOMO, KJR.	
14.00	St. Andrew's Presbyterian— CJVR.	
15.00	First United—CWXK. Great Canadian—CJQR.	
16.00	Just a Song—CBR.	
17.00	News—CBR. Great Charm—KOMO, KPO. Cordie Foster—KOL. Review—KOL.	
17.30	Music Hour—KIRO, KJR. Grand Opera—CJVI.	
18.00	Songs of Empire—CBR.	
18.30	Goodwill Hour—KJR.	
19.00	Music—KOMO, CBR, CJVI.	
19.30	One Man's Family—KOMO, KPO. Evangelistic Centre—CJVI.	
20.00	News—CBR, CJVR.	
20.30	Merry Go Round—KOMO, KPO. Reader's Digest—KIRO.	
21.00	Walter Winchell—KJR.	
21.30	Music—CBR.	
22.00	Cleveland Symphony—CBR.	
22.30	Stage 44—CBR.	
23.00	Lover Boys—KJR.	
23.30	Music—KOMO, CBR.	
24.00	Silver Stream—CWXK.	
24.30	Star Theatre—KOMO, CJVI, CJQR.	
25.00	Jimmy Durante—KJR.	
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